

The Gleichen Call.

Devoted to the Up-Building of Gleichen and the Development of the District Generally

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Calgary Editors Think College Should Locate at Gleichen

A Commendable Effort

From Calgary Daily Albertan:

The people of Gleichen are making a commendable effort to secure the agricultural college, and their claims are strong. It seems to be generally conceded by agriculturists that better results follow when the agricultural college is divorced from the department of education, or rather when there is no close affiliation. That is the case in most of the better colleges of agriculture in Canada and the United States.

It is also believed that better results are attained when the college of agriculture is not in the same city as the provincial university. There is no reason why it should be closely associated with the university town.

The Albertan believes that this agricultural college should be located in the southern part of Alberta, and for more reasons than one. The principal reason is that as the province is destined to be partly irrigated territory and partly dry farming, that the college be located in a district convenient to both systems.

That must be in the south country. Gleichen has many claims for a farming college. It is a promising agricultural district. It is well situated. It is about equally distant from the three cities in southern Alberta, Calgary, Medicine Hat and Lethbridge and is in many ways a very desirable place for a college.

It is to be hoped that the college will be located some place in the south and as Gleichen has the irrigation, it has many claims for the college.

The Greatest Good

From Calgary Daily News:

The people of Gleichen are bestirring themselves to endeavor to get the Provincial Agricultural College located there.

They have embodied their views in a petition to the government, and after perusing the plea put forward, the Daily News feels constrained to view the matter along the line advocated in the petition.

Gleichen is situated in the central-southern portion of the province and is in a position where irrigation and dry farming can receive due attention. A section of the best farming land in the Dominion will be donated if the agricultural farm is located in that vicinity. It is on the main line of the C. P. R. and easily accessible to students from every part of the province, and from this standpoint better situated than almost any other place north or south.

In Ontario the principal of the greatest good to greatest possible number was recognized when the agricultural college of the province was placed at Guelph, and the success of that institution has proved the wisdom of the policy that divorced it from the immediate influence of Queen's Park, Toronto.

The college should be placed at some point where thorough tuition could be given in the various systems of farming that are peculiar to Alberta. Irrigation, mixed farming and dry farming are practiced in different parts of the province, and there is no portion of the province where these systems could be put in practice to better advantage than in and around Gleichen.

And there are other very good reasons

why the institution would prove more beneficial if it were located in the central-south of the province, which the Daily News may advance later on.

A VERY SOUND CASE

The Calgary Daily Herald: "Strong representations have been made to the government of Alberta in favor of selecting a convenient and central location for the proposed agricultural college, and a very sound case is made out for placing it in the constituency of Gleichen."

"Such a college situated in Gleichen would be central for the whole province, it would be in the midst of a district of varied agricultural resources, with the greatest irrigation system on the continent to take advantage of."

"In this connection, the following interesting letter addressed to the member for Gleichen by W. J. Elliott, of the Montana Agricultural Experiment station at Bozeman, is pertinent. Mr. Elliott advances some weighty considerations which our government cannot well overlook."

The Herald then reproduces Mr. Elliott's letter, which has already appeared in the Call.

Endorses the Location

Editor Gleichen Call:

Dear Sir,—I am apprised of the splendid efforts of the citizens of Gleichen to secure the erection of the proposed Agricultural College in this district and of the strong claims put forth by the Gleichen Board of Trade, setting forth the advantages of the Gleichen district in seeking to have the anticipated college located here. And having also read the letters sent in by my two ministerial colleagues, I should regard myself a mean citizen could I not add some little effort in support of the claims of Gleichen to have the college erected inside her boundaries.

The resolutions set forth by the Board of Trade and the substance of the two letters cover the whole ground of the subject and I can only endorse that which has been said urging the claims of the town and district.

I have travelled a little over Southern Alberta, and had good opportunities of studying the productivity of the soil of these parts. But I have not seen any better country than that which surrounds this town, and have heard statements to the same effect from men who have lived here and elsewhere.

Also, having lived on the farm half a mile east for the past eight months, I have watched with keen interest the growth of the finest, or at any rate one of the finest, crops of oats and barley the country has produced, and this on non-irrigated land indicates the great fertility of the soil of this district.

Combining, as the district does, the two classes of farming on irrigated and non-irrigated land, with the many other advantages mentioned in last week's Call, I think no better spot in the province could be selected for the erection of such an institution as the proposed college.

There is an enchanting sense of peace in the words "far from the madding crowd", and Gleichen is far enough removed from the bustle and distraction of the great cities, and yet sufficiently large to exhibit the social side of human life.

An institution like the proposed college should be placed in the midst of a district

where the various classes of farming are demonstrated. And Gleichen, with its immensely fertile soil and its splendid opportunities of demonstrating farming by irrigation, presents a strong claim to consideration by the government in their proposed scheme.

I am not biased in my views by the fact of permanent citizenship, for I am a bird of passage and shall shortly wing my flight; but I have been long enough in the district to know some of its advantages and, comparing it with other places in the province, I can safely say that the Gleichen district offers greater advantages than any other place of my acquaintance.

I trust, sir, that the efforts of the citizens of the district and the claims advanced in order to secure the proposed college will be crowned with success, and that before the present year goes into the eternity from whence it came, the inhabitant residing here may be able to say to the stranger or visitor, in answer to his question: "What is that grand building over there?" "That, sir, is the Agricultural College of the Province of Alberta."

Wishing you every success.

Very Sincerely yours,
CYRIL FAROM,
Methodist Minister.
Gleichen, 14th Jan., '08.

Smoking Concert, Jiu-Jitsu and a Musical Evening

(From our Red Deer Correspondent.)
On Wednesday, the 8th inst., a very enjoyable evening was spent at the residence of Mr. Stanley Day, Hand Hills, Red Deer river. Mr. Day, who was incapacitated through a slight attack of biliousness, was unable to receive his guests in person. Mr. Peak, however, kindly officiated as master of ceremonies, with the aid of a cymbal in the shape of a bread pan lid.

Among the contributions to the program were:

S. Day, song, The Stars and Northern Lights.
H. Kelly, auto harp solo, Extempore.
Bell and Gardner, jiu-jitsu, in favor of Mr. Bell.
Mr. Peak, composed by himself, The Glass Tragedy.
Mr. Black, song, Bridget Donahue.
Mr. Evans, song, My Own Country Garden.
Mr. Tremayne, song.

Mr. Montgomery, recitation, A Dutch Man's Speech.
Tremayne and Gill, jiu-jitsu, in favor of Mr. Tremayne.

Mr. Gardner (accompanied by bread pan for order), song, The Rough House Won't Start 'Till Four.

Mr. Jas. Kelly, song, Hyde Away. Owing to a slight injury to his pharynx received from Mr. Day it was difficult to appreciate in full.

Mr. Tom McBeath, song. Interrupted by Mr. Montgomery he retired for the night.

The proceedings wound up with sundry jiu-jitsu in which the stove-pipe and the rest of the furniture collapsed.

R. I. P.

And still the Arrowwood and Queenstown farmers continue to haul grain to town daily in goodly numbers.

With the wind and sharp frost on Tuesday it began to look as though we were really to have some winter, but Old Sol refuses to go off shift.

The Gleichen and District Board of Trade annual meeting and election of officers will be held at the Bank of Commerce next Monday evening, Jan. 20th. A full attendance of members is requested.

A meeting is to be held on Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. L. Laycock to finally determine whether or not the ladies of Gleichen will organize a lodge of the Companions of the Foresters. It is requested that all the ladies who desire to join make a special effort to be present.

GLEICHEN'S NEW COUNCILLORS

Messrs. Telford, Blackburn and
Bray Elected for 1908

J. M. Telford 24 votes.
F. H. Blackburn 24 votes.
C. J. Bray 20 votes.
Emiel Griesbach 16 votes.

The above was the result of the election of councillors for Gleichen on Monday night, when returning officer J. T. Johnston finally counted the votes and proclaimed the first three names mentioned duly elected, the other candidates having withdrawn from the contest, namely, T. H. Beach, A. R. Yates, W. H. James and W. P. Evans.

Mr. Telford has made a fortune here ranching and farming and he has been in the implement business and owns considerable property in the town and district. His shrewdness in every business transaction is well known as is indicated by his heading the poll.

Mr. Blackburn has only been in Gleichen since last spring and in conducting his genteel business has gained for himself the confidence of the people of this town, and the interest he is taking in the town's welfare will no doubt justify the confidence.

Mr. Bray is the only member of the old board on the new council, and therefore, as it is shown that his services are appreciated by his fellow citizens, it is only necessary to add that in his private business he has been most successful, first in ranching and now in the hardware and furniture business.

The council will have a lot of difficult work to perform in financing and in making the many improvements a growing town like Gleichen requires, but we have the men with force of character to accomplish the work and it behooves the electors to back them up in their endeavors and assist them in every way possible.

Gleichen is growing rapidly and many good things are coming to her, and now while she is building a solid foundation for a good substantial town is the time that the very best work must be done.

Queenstown Happenings

W. W. Robertson and A. Beggs are busy these days loading a car of wheat for shipment.

G. Hoerle and son took a trip to Gleichen last week.

P. Mills is taking a look at the city again.

C. Hermann has his crusher in operation again.

A. Stead has returned from his trip to Calgary.

W. Wright is on a short visit to Medicine Hat.

Ole Nelson was up to the city and had some grain crushed while there.

The Messrs. Brown's are sure hauling out great loads of lumber these days.

Gleichen Grain Market

Today's markets F. O. B. Gleichen:

1 Red82	1 Nor84
2 "77	2 "79
3 "70	3 "73
4 "61	4 "68
1 Rej. Red61	5 "60
2 "56	6 "38
3 "50	1 Rej.66
1 White75	2 "61
2 "70	3 "56
3 "62	N.G.51
4 "52	2 "25
1 Rej. White52	Flax75
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service of Holy communion at 11 a.m.
Fourth Sunday in the month, Litany
and sermon at 11 a.m. Sunday school
meets every Sunday afternoon at 2
o'clock. Service at Rosebud Creek the
1st Sunday in the month at 3 p.m.

Methodist Church Service will be
conducted by Rev. Cecil Eason, pastor,
in the Farmers' Hall at 11 a.m. Sunday,
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W. PARK EVANS, - - - Publisher and Proprietor.

Gleichen, Alberta, January 16, 1908.

The Farmers' Institute Pass Resolutions re Agricultural College Location

The following is a copy of a resolution which was
passed unanimously at the Farmers' Institute Workers'
Convention held in Calgary last week.

The resolution was moved by M. D. Geddes, editor of
the Farm and Ranch Review and seconded by D. H. Gal-
braith, B.S.A., of Nanton; and works in very nicely with
Gleichen's claims for the location of the College. Here is
the resolution, copies of which are to be sent to each mem-
ber of the Alberta Legislature:

"We, the members of the Farmers' Institute
Staff, of the Province of Alberta, in convention
assembled, wish to place on record our conviction
that an Agricultural College is of vital importance
to the Province of Alberta.

"Therefore, be it resolved that the establish-
ment of an Agricultural College in the immediate
future is amply justified, and that in the interest
of agriculture, which interest is paramount in this
Province, be it further resolved that the Agricul-
tural College, when established, be under the con-
trol of the Agricultural Department, that it be
established in a locality separate and altogether
apart from the University, but that it be affiliated
with the University."

The Albertan in reporting the convention in part says:
"At the afternoon session the question of the location of the
proposed Provincial Agricultural College was thoroughly
discussed. At the meeting there were seven or eight agri-
cultural college graduates, who felt keenly in the matter
and impressed strongly on the meeting the importance of
having the agricultural college separate and distinct from
the provincial university, and under the control of the de-
partment of agriculture, rather than under the educational
department."

As will be seen elsewhere in this issue the Calgary
newspapers are unanimously supporting Gleichen's claims
for the location of the agricultural college and it would
indeed be very strange if they were not, when the justice
of these claims are considered. Their undivided support,
however, materially strengthens our position and will with-
out doubt be of the greatest advantage in securing the
desired end. The Calgary dailies do not very often find
it convenient to agree and the fact that they have in this
particular instance argues well for the success of the issue.
The people of this town and district will have good reasons
for being thankful for the support of these papers in the
efforts to secure the college, as well as many other papers
that admit this district is the natural location for such an
institution.

"I am in receipt of your favor of the 8th inst. and note
contents. In Mr. Riley you have an excellent member and
I can assure you that the claims of Gleichen will not be
overlooked."

The above is extracted from a private letter written
by A. S. Rosenroll, M.P.P., of Wetaskiwin, received by Mr.
Griesbach in answer to a request for his support in obtain-
ing the location of the college here

While in Calgary last week The Call man met a lot of
people who wanted to talk about the college and the
general opinion expressed may be summed up in the
way one prominent man put it. He said: "With those
strong set of resolutions, and Mr. Riley to back them up,
Gleichen will surely land the college. You must have a
lot of enterprising men in that little town to give a site for
it. That's a pretty big order for Gleichen, is it not?"

The Rev. Mr. Fraser's letter in our last issue bearing
on the location of the college was a very well written one
and the points touched upon were so clearly put that there
is no room for argument, and The Call is pleased to state
that we have heard many complimentary remarks on this
excellent letter. Rev. Mr. Fraser's letter was also a good
one and with the clergymen backing up our claims in so
strong a manner, we may expect much good will result.

Dromedaries Smoke Cigars.
There is no reason why a dromedary
should not be partial to a good cigar.
Most dromedaries, according to a me-
nagerie proprietor, are particularly
fond of tobacco smoke and can be made
to do almost anything under its influ-
ence.

"Travelers in Egypt," he asserts, "re-
ly more on tobacco smoke for their con-
trol over these huge beasts than any-
thing else. When travelling on long
journeys the dromedaries are in many
cases required to travel night and day
without rest, and the beasts are kept
up to their tasks by smoking cigars.
The driver carries a triangular piece of
wood, which is pierced at one point
like a cigar holder. This is inserted in
the mouth of the beast, the cigar being
lit and pressed into the hole in the same
fashion followed by man.

"The dromedary immediately closes
its eyes and puffs away through its nos-
trils until the cigar is burned away.
The indulgence appears to refresh it,
and the keeper has no difficulty in per-
suading the animal to plod on without
further rest."—Pearson's.

Errors and Excuses.
Emperor Sigismund of Germany, who
reigned in the fifteenth century. In the
speech in which he opened the council
of Constance uttered an expression
which Cardinal Placentinus corrected.
The emperor replied, "Placentinus,
however agreeable you may be to oth-
ers, you please us not when you assert
that we have less authority than the
grammarian Priscianus, whom you say
I have offended."

Napoleon used to excuse his errors in
orthography with the saying, "A man
occupied with public business cannot
attend to orthography."

Voltaire upon receipt of his first let-
ter in French from Frederick the Great
told Frederick that he was a better
French scholar than Louis XIV., who
committed many mistakes. Frederick
replied that Louis was a great mon-
arch in many respects, and a mistake
in spelling could not tarnish the bril-
liancy of his reputation.

The Clever Brahman.
Speaking of the great power the
Brahmans in India possess in localizing
thought, a prominent Brahman said
recently: "We would consider a game
of chess as played in this country were
child's play. An ordinary Brahman
chess player could carry on three or
four games at a time without inconve-
nience. The usual game played by the
Brahmans consists in checkmating with
one pawn designated when the play be-
gins. I have seen a man perform a long
problem in multiplication and division,
at the same time noting the various
sounds and discussions going on about
him in the room. I have seen a man
compose a triple acrostic in Sanskrit in
a given meter, at the same time having
three well versed men trying to over-
throw him in his argument on religion."

A Great Old Man.
One Henry Jenkins died in England
Dec. 4, 1870, at the alleged age of 163
years. He is said to have been a fisher-
man for 140 years. Though he could
neither read nor write, his reach of
memory was such that he would calu-
ly give evidence in court in matters on
which his memory went back 120 and
140 years. As a boy he is said to have
faken a horse load of arrows to North-
allerton to be forwarded north in time
for the battle of Flodden. At the age
of 100 years he used to swim a wide
stream in Yorkshire with ease. He
lived until four years after the great
fire of London, was poor all his life,
but subsisted cheerfully by thatching
and salmon fishing.

Sandy's Reasoning.
A lady meeting her gardener in the
grounds said to him: "Sandy, I am sur-
prised that you do not marry. You
have got a free house, coal and gas,
also a weekly wage of 30 shillings, so
I think all you want to complete your
happiness is a wife."

And to lend weight to her argument
she added, "Adam, who was the first
gardener, was given a wife."
"True for ye, ma'am," replied San-
dy, "but he hadn't her long till he lost
his job."—London Tit-Bits.

Civilized and Enlightened.
Teacher—Can you tell me the differ-
ence between civilized and enlightened
nations? Pupil—My dad says civilized
nations manage to get along all right
if they are let alone, but that enlight-
ened nations know enough not to let the
civilized nations alone.

His Other Check.
"When an enemy smites me," said
the pious looking hypocrite, "I always
turn the other cheek."

"Why," asked the man who knew
him, "do you want your enemy to go
around with both hands disabled?"

As Far as He Knew.
"One of the component parts of sug-
ar," said the professor, "is an essential
in the composition of the human body.
What is it?"
"I know!" shouted the grocer's boy.
"Sand"—Exchange.

Advice Not Free.
Lawyer—Well, you have at last de-
cided to take my advice and pay this
bill of mine? Client—Ye-es, Lawyer.
—Very well, William, just add 10
shillings to Mr. Smith's bill for fur-
ther advice.

Citing a Case.
Mrs. Henpeck—We never know who
our best friends are. Henpeck—That's
so, my dear. Now, there's that fellow
you jilted when you married me. He
has never spoken to me since.

None knows the weight of another's
burden.—Herbert.

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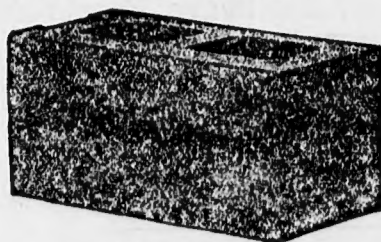
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A LAUGH IN CHURCH

She sat on a sliding cushion,
The dear wee woman of four;
Her feet, in their tiny slippers,
Hung dangling over the floor:
She meant to be good; she had promised,
And so, with her big brown eyes,
She stared at the meeting-house windows
And counted the crawling flies.

She looked far up at the preacher,
But she thought of the honey bees
Droning away the blossoms
That whitened the cherry-trees;
She thought of the broken basket
Where, curled in a dusty heap,
Three sleek, little puppies with frisky
ears
Lay snuggled and fast asleep.

Such soft, warm bodies to cuddle,
Such queer little hearts to beat,
Such swift, round tongues to kiss,
Such sprawling, cushiony feet;
She could feel in her clasping fingers
The touch of the satiny skin,
And a cold wet nose exploring
The dimples under her chin.

Then a sudden ripple of laughter
Ran over the parted lips,
So quick that she could not catch it
With her rosy finger tips.
The people whispered, "Bless the child!"
As each one waked from a nap,
But the dear, wee woman hid her face
For shame in her mother's lap.

Spoke from a Full Heart

The Illinois Central train was half a hundred miles from Chicago, headed for the city, and at a little station an old farmer came aboard. He was a little, weathered man, with a sensitive mouth half concealed by an iron-gray beard. His ill-fitting clothes were evidently his most uncomfortable best. He slid softly into a seat occupied by a grave stranger, reading a newspaper. Two or three times the old man turned his face to the brown flying landscape. The stranger was struck with the troubled expression and glanced wistfully at his companion. The latter spoke at last with a strange huskiness in his voice.

"I am going to the city for the second time in my life," he said, half started at his own words.

"Yes?"

"Thirty years come July I went there for a wedding suit and I am going back there to-day for a coffin and a shroud for the little woman that married me. You don't know what it is, mister, to live and work 'longside a woman for thirty years, day in and day out, to find her always patient and willing and working, and then leave her dead and cold, with her worn-out hands crossed on her breast. It was just a little after the turn of the night, and nobody but me was watching, when Mar'ie kinder woke up.

"'Davil,' says she, 'it's restful, so restful, and I am so tired.' And so she went to sleep and waked up in eternity. You know, stranger, these things set me to thinking, and when it was too late I found out that I had put too much work into her life and not enough rest and enjoyment so that she was glad to cross the great divide, and leave me here alone to wonder through the balance of my dreary life."

The Telephone Girl

There's a telephone in town—it's a new long talk machine,
And the girl who operates it is a reg'lar fairy queen;
The company sent her in here, for to run the thing in style,
And she's got the cowboys located, clear from here to Forty Mile.

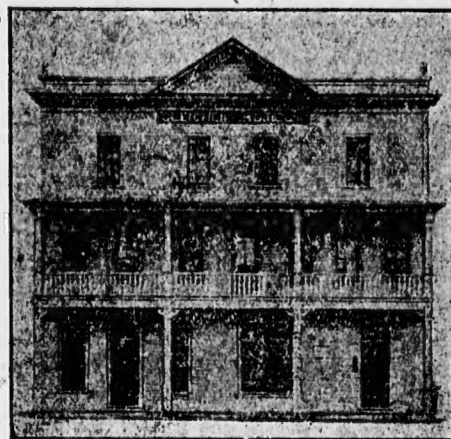
She wears a jangling bracelet, and a rollin' mass of hair,
And when good looks was passed she was handed out her share;
She sets there in her glory, in her awe inspiring toga,
And she knows that she's the ruler in this land of prairie dogs.

The boys they come a-ridin' from the corners of the range,
And they moon around in town, and they're acting mighty strange;
They have cut out cards an drinkin' and they make a plum mean fuss
If a puncher who's forgetful rips a loud resounding fuss.

They flock up to the office, and they spend their hard-earned dough,
A phonio' off to cities where there ain't no folks to know;

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Open Day and Night
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Wines, Liquors
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Every Comfort
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"The Best in the West"

Do you know what it cost me to be able to write the above?
Fourteen years continuous study and practice.
Five Post Graduate courses in New York, Chicago, Buffalo, Toronto and Seattle.
Hours of study and experiment when my professional brothers were out with the other lucky ones enjoying themselves.
Thousand of dollars where hundreds are generally spent in dental education.

— But, pshaw, knowing what I do I can honestly say: —
"It was worth while after all!"

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Prices Right for Cash.

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Get your grain crushed and get the
highest price for it.
I have orders for any amount of
crushed grain. Give me the price you
want for all kinds of grain that will
make feed. I will then get you quotations
on feed and guarantee to get you
15 Per Cent more for any grain that is
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Highest Price
Paid for OATS**

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—THE NEW NAMAKA STORE—

Many People
Came to the Store last week and carried away the
50c. package so I haven't any left like it, but here is
one just as good:

1 Package Baking Soda	Price you usually pay, 75c.
1 Bottle Catsup	
1 Can Wax Beans	My price, 50c.
1 Package good Currants	

We get mail once each week for all parties wishing to
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Don't forget that we also have
Lumber and Hardware.

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The first of the kind in Gleichen. This machine is absolutely the
Easiest, Quickest and Best Machine on the Market.

It has a large Fly Wheel, running on Ball Bearings, and any child
can work it.

Be Sure to
call and see this machine before buying any other.

TOWN AND DISTRICT

Great weather.

H. P. Davy was here Monday from
Winnipeg.

G. Douglas was a visitor from Cal-
gary this week.

Fred Mason arrived in town Monday
from Seattle, Wash.

J. M. Telford who left on a trip to
Vancouver last week, writes he will
soon return to Gleichen.

Mrs. E. Griesbach went to Vancouver
a week ago to visit friends.

R. McCann and J. Harwood were
down from Strathmore Monday.

Dr. Lafferty spent Friday in town on
Indian department business.

Alf. Williams is now located at High
River.

E. C. Henroth has found it necessary
make an addition to his grain crushing
building and already building operations
have commenced.

It is stated that a flour mill is to be
erected south of the new Bow river
bridge next summer, in the Arrowwood
district.

T. Henderson was in from Red Deer
River a couple of days this week
on business.

W. Howey of Vancouver was in town a
few days last week.

The Gleichen National Sporting Club
continues to flourish and many pleasant
and profitable hours are spent in the
auditorium.

Rev. Mr. Fraser will conduct Presby-
terian services in the Foresters Hall
next Sunday, Jan. 19, at 7:30 p. m.

Who swiped the bag of cement
bought an yeast cake and sat up all
night waiting for the bread to rise?

There was a very pleasant time enjoy-
ed at the Rosebud creek dance last
Thursday night, although the Gleichen
people who intended going failed to
appear. Nevertheless, there was a good
crowd of young folks present and all re-
port having thoroughly enjoyed them-
selves.

The Social Club has determined to
give a masquerade ball on February
14th, and with Mr. Kilcup as manager
a success is assured. Get your costumes
ready or order them from F. H. Black-
bourn. Posters and tickets will be
issued in a day or two with full particu-
lars.

Teddy Wagstaffe has been in the Cal-
hospital for some days suffering from a
from a severe rupture. It appears he
was shouldering a bag of flour in J. A. E.
Beaupre's store when another bag slid
down on him, and in his efforts to
handle the two he sustained the injury.

The Gleichen Christian Endeavor
Society will meet on Tuesday, 21st inst.,
at 8 p. m., in the school house, in charge
of the missionary section. A paper will
be read by Mr. Fraser on "Pastor Hui, a
Chinese Christian."

R. W. McKie, manager of the Bank
of Commerce, expects his wife's father
to arrive in Gleichen very shortly from
Tignish, P. E. I., to remain permanent-
ly in the west and possibly he will
make Gleichen his home. From a Tig-
nish paper we learn that Mr. Larkin
was royally banqueted by the citizens
of that place prior to his leaving for the
west, when upwards of seventy promi-
nent men of that town and Island sat at
the table and toasted Mr. Larkin, who
after forty years of successful business
among them, was retiring from active
business.

FOR SALE—Hay and straw loose or
baled. J. M. Buckley, Gleichen.

DRESSMAKING—Blouses and shirt-
waist suits. Miss Convey, Gleichen.

FOR SALE—A few choice Barred Rock
Cockerels for sale—Apply M. E.
Gibson, Blue Spring Ranch.

STRAYED—From Bassano. A low set
Buckskin Pony, faint key brand,
has been roached mane and tail.
Suitable reward for information
leading to recovery. Fred Hamer,
P. O. Box 88, Gleichen.

LOST—Bay gelding, 3 years old, next
spring branded, lost on road, and on
left hind leg, 20 lbs. reward for delivery
to J. C. McNamee, Gleichen.

WANTED—Subscriptions for "The
Gleichen Call" for 1908. Send your
subscriptions to The Gleichen Call,
Box 1, Gleichen.

FOR SALE—A milk cow, red, age
4 1/2 years. Apply to Fred Hamer,
Bassano.

SITUATION WANTED—Position in a
store, or, preferably, Fred Hamer,
Bassano. Steady job preferred.

FOR SALE—Saw and heating
oil, and a good deal of grain. Enquire
at Post Office Drug Store.

New Year Suggestions

To be found
in this Store

A Nice Branch
Tie Pins
Cuff Links
Bracelets
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Neck Chains
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—Every Ring Sold is—
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G. W. GORDON
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We wish you all
the
**Compli-
ments
of the
Season..**

Post Office Drug Store,
A. R. YATES, Proprietor,

E. W. Manchester of Carbon was in
town last week.

A little four-year-old girl walked into
one of the hardware stores some time
ago and had a bolt put in her little ex-
press wagon. When the job was com-
pleted she asked the clerk what the
charges were. The clerk informed her
that a kiss would pay the bill. And the
little lady said, "All right, mamma will
pay you."

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and appears on a copy of The Call it is
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this paper, and not before. If you have
paid your subscription and your name is
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**Have your
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can;
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- 3rd. We will sell only the best goods obtain-
able and make the prices as low as
quality will allow.

It is upon this platform, backed by many
years of success among you, that we confi-
dently solicit your trade for another year—
1908.

J. A. E. BEAUPRE, Gleichen

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To Reduce our stock before Stock Taking

We will give Free to everyone buying \$3.00 worth of groceries, except
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10 PER CENT OFF
- Everything in our Dry Goods -
Department.

10 PER CENT OFF
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10 PER CENT OFF
Graniteware, Shelf Hardware, Paints and Heaters.

A Few Specials:

10 Fur Coats, Now \$20.00;	Sale Price, \$17:50
2 " " " 25.00;	" " 23:00

This sale will last only 10 days and is for Cash Only.

The Gleichen Trading Co., Ltd.
W. H. JAMES, Manager.